

What is claimed is:

- 1        1. A safety fencing system comprising:
  - 2              a plurality of substantially longitudinal poles including a first part and a second part;
  - 3              a pliable fencing material received between said poles;
  - 4              a plurality of inserts adapted to receive one end of each of said poles; and
  - 5              a plurality of fasteners adapted to secure said first part to said second part while
  - 6              capturing said fencing material there between.
- 1        2. A fencing system as described in claim 1, wherein said first part and said second part of  
2              said substantially longitudinal poles include a flat edge and a curved edge, thus providing  
3              a substantially “D” shape.
- 1        3. A fencing system as described in claim 2, wherein said curved edge includes a relief track  
2              provided near the midpoint of said curved edge.
- 1        4. A fencing system as described in claim 1, wherein said first part and said second part  
2              further include a substantially convex portion on a surface of said first part and a  
3              substantially concave portion on a surface of said second part.
- 1        5. A fencing system as described in claim 4, wherein said substantially convex portion and  
2              said substantially concave portion are provided on said flat edge.



2 each with an open end adapted to receive a second end of one of said longitudinal poles.

1 14. A fencing system as described in claim 1, further comprising a plurality of grip mounts,  
2 each grip mount including a first half and a second half adapted to receive an outside edge of  
3 each of said first part of said pole and said second part respectively, said first half including a  
4 fastener hole and said second half including a threaded portion; and  
5 a fastener provided through said fastener hole and received by said threaded portion,  
6 whereby said fastener secures said first half to said second half about said pole.

1 15. A fencing system as described in claim 14, further comprising a plurality of cleats  
2 adjacent to said fastener hole, whereby said cleats contact said pliable fencing material,  
3 further securing it to said pole.

1 16. A fencing system as described in claim 1, further including a section lock, the section  
2 lock including a ring end secured to a first mounting bolt on a first pole and a loop end  
3 adapted to be received by a second mounting bolt on a second pole.

1 17. A fencing system as described in claim 16, wherein said loop end includes more than one  
2 loop.

1 18. A fencing system as described in claim 16, wherein said loop is adapted to receive a lock  
2 through said loop that is received by said second mounting bolt, thus locking said section

3 lock between said first pole and said second pole.

1       **19.** A fencing system as described in claim 16, further including a pair of slide arms movably  
2 mounted to said section lock and adjacent to said loop and a bias to maintain a free end of  
3 said slide arms toward said loop end.

1       **20.** A fencing system as described in claim 19, wherein said slide arms include end holes  
2 adapted to receive a lock, whereby when received thereon said slide arms are restricted in  
3 movement toward said ring end.

1       **21.** A fencing system as described in claim 1, further including a gate section, the gate section  
2 including a gate door pivotally mounted to a first gate frame member.

1       **22.** A fencing system as described in claim 21, further including a second gate frame member  
2 adjacent to said gate door, opposite to said first gate frame member and including a gate  
3 stop that mates with a gate ear on said gate door.

1       **23.** A fencing system as described in claim 22, wherein said gate stop and said gate ear  
2 include at least one hole adapted to receive a lock.

1       **24.** A fencing system as described in claim 22, wherein said first gate frame member and said  
2 second gate frame member are each comprised of a first part and a second part, whereby

3           said pliable material can be received between said first part and said second part, said first  
4           part and said second part are adapted to be fastened together securing said material there  
5           between.

1       **25.** A fencing system as described in claim 22, wherein said first gate frame member and said  
2           second gate frame member include an insert adapted to receive at least one fastener in a  
3           flange located on a distal end of said insert, and a mounting collar that is variably  
4           mounted near a distal end of a pole of said gate frame member, the mounting collar  
5           including a flange that is adapted to receive said at least one fastener, whereby said  
6           fastener secures said mounting collar to said insert enabling variable placement of a distal  
7           end of said pole relative to said flange of said insert.

1       **26.** A fencing system as described in claim 25, wherein said flange of said insert includes a  
2           threaded insert to receive said at least one fastener.

1       **27.** A method of restricting access to a controlled area such as a swimming pool including the  
2           steps of:  
3           providing a safety fence including:  
4              a plurality of substantially longitudinal poles including a first part and a second  
5              part;  
6              a pliable fencing material;  
7              a plurality of inserts adapted to receive one end of each of said poles; and

8                   a plurality of fasteners adapted to secure said first part to said second part while  
9                   capturing said fencing material there between;  
10                  drilling a plurality of holes around said controlled area;  
11                  assembling said longitudinal poles in said inserts and placing said inserts with said poles  
12                  into said holes;  
13                  providing said pliable fencing material around said controlled area and between said first  
14                  part and said second part of each of said poles;  
15                  fastening said first part and said second part of said poles together with said fasteners,  
16                  thereby capturing said pliable material there between.